





## COOKING STOVES.

**MacKAY'S RICKEL & Co.**  
No. 53, Queen's Road East,  
(OPPOSITE THE COMMISSIONARIAT),  
ARE NOW LANDING  
FROM AMERICA,  
CALIFORNIA  
RACKER  
COMPANY'S BISCUITS in 5 lb  
tins, and loose.  
Soda BISCUITS.  
Assorted BISCUITS.

Small HOMINY.  
Cracked WHEAT.  
OATMEAL.  
CORNMEAL.

White BEANS.  
TOPOCAN BUTTER.  
Eastern and Californian CHEESE.  
CONDENSED MILK.  
Prime LAMS and BACON.  
Eagle Brand Condensed MILK.  
Family BEEF in 25 lb cans.  
Best Ideal SALMON in 5 lb cans.  
Cutting's Dessert FRUITS in 2 1/2 lb cans.  
Assorted CANNED VEGETABLES.  
Potted SAUSAGES and Sausage MEAT.  
Assorted PEPPERS.  
Assorted SOUPS.  
Richardson & Roblin's Celebrated Potted MEATS.

Richardson & Roblin's Curried OYSTERS.  
Clam OYSTERS.  
Fresh GREEN SALMON.  
Dried APPLES.  
TOMATOES.  
SUCOTASH.  
BROWN.  
Maple SYRUP.  
Golden SYRUP.  
LOBSTERS.  
OYSTERS.  
HONEY.  
Corn STARCH.  
Green CORN.

**FAIRBANKS' SCALES.**  
400 lb. Capacity.  
500 lb. " "  
600 lb. " "  
1,200 lb. " "

CORN BROOMS.  
OFFICE HIGH CHAIRS.  
AXES and HATCHETS.

AGATE IRON WARE.  
WAFLE IRONS.  
SMOOTHING IRONS.

PAINTS and OILS.  
TALLOW and TAR.  
VARNISHES.

**DEVOS'S NONPAREL  
BRILLIANT  
KEROSENE OIL,**  
150° test.

Ex late Arrivals from  
ENGLAND.  
A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF  
STOVES,  
including:  
BREAKFAST TONGUES.  
OYSTER.  
ASP. RAGS.  
SOUPS, &c.

TEYSSONNAU'S DESSERT FRUITS.  
ALMONDS and RAISINS.  
PIONIC TONGUES.  
COCOATINA.

Van Houten's COCOA.  
LASSON'S & ERIE'S COCOA.  
FRENCH PLUMS.  
PATE DE FOIE GRAS.

MINCEMEAT.  
SAUSAGES.  
BROWN.  
DARTON BUTTER.

**SPARTAN  
COOKING STOVES.**

ENGLISH CUTLERY.  
ELECTRO-PLATE.  
CROCKERY & GLASS WARE.

CLARETS.  
CHATEAU MARGAUX.  
CHATEAU LA TOUR, plus & quart.  
1883 GRAVES.  
BREAKFAST CLARET, "

SERRIES & PORT.  
SACONNE'S MANZANILLA & AMON-  
TILLADO.  
SACONNE'S OLD INVALID PORT  
HUNT'S PORT.

BRANDY, WHISKY, LIQUEURS, &c.  
1 and 3 star HENNESSY'S BRANDY.  
Bisquit Dubouché & Co.'s BRANDY.  
PRIME OLD BOURBON WHISKY.  
KIRBY'S LI WHISKY.

ROYAL GLENDEE WHISKY.  
BOON'S OLD TOM.  
E. & J. BURKE'S IRISH WHISKY.  
ROSE'S LIME JUICE CORDIAL.  
NORTH PLAT & CO.'S VERMOUTH.  
GRANVILLE'S GINGER BRANDY.

EASTERN ORANGE.  
CHATEAU  
MARASQUINO.  
CUBACAO.

ASACOTTA, Boxen's and ORANGE  
BITTERS.  
&c., &c.

BASS'S ALE, bottled by CAMERON and  
SAUNDERS, plus and quart.  
GUINNESS'S STOUT, bottled by E. &  
J. BONE, plus and quart.  
DRAUGHT ALE and PORTER, by the  
Gallon.

ALE and PORTER, in hogsheads.  
Specially Selected  
**CIGARS.**

Five New Season's CUMSHAW TEA, in  
5 catty boxes.  
BREAKFAST CONGOU @ 25 cents p. lb.  
MILNER'S PATENT FIREPROOF  
SAVES, CASH and PAPER  
BOXES, at Manufacturer's Prices.  
Hongkong, July 19, 1883.

## Mails.

Occidental & Oriental Steam-  
Ship Company.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS  
TO JAPAN, THE UNITED  
STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND  
SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE,  
VIA  
THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS,  
AND  
ATLANTIC & OTHER CONNECTING  
STEAMERS.

THE S.S. OCEANIC will be despatched  
for San Francisco, via Yokohama,  
with the option of calling at Honolulu,  
on SATURDAY, the 17th November, at  
8 p.m.

Connection being made at Yokohama,  
with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan  
ports.

All Parcel Packages should be marked to  
address in full; and same will be received  
at the Company's Office, until 5 p.m. the  
day previous to sailing.

RETURN PASSENGERS.—Passengers, who  
have paid full fare, re-embarking at San  
Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa)  
within six months, will be allowed a discount  
of 20% from Return Fare; if re-embarking  
within one year, an allowance of 10% will  
be made from Return Fare. Pro-Paid Re-  
turn Passage Orders, available for one year,  
will be issued at a Discount of 25% from  
Return Fare. These allowances do not apply  
to through fares from China and Japan to  
Europe.

Consular Invoices to accompany Over-  
land, Mexican, Central and South American  
Cargo, should be sent to the Company's  
Office addressed to the Collector of Customs,  
San Francisco.

For further information as to Freight or  
Passage apply to the Agency of the  
Company, No. 60A, Queen's Road Central,  
Hongkong, October 27, 1883. no17

## NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES  
MARITIMES.  
PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR  
SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA,  
COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, ISMAILIA,  
PORT SAID, SYRIAN PORTS,  
NAPLES, MARSEILLES, AND PORTS  
OF BRAZIL, AND LA PLATA;  
ALSO  
BOMBAY.

ON TUESDAY, the 20th November,  
1883, at Noon, the Company's  
S.S. P. H. LAFONT, Commandant LAFONT,  
with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE,  
and CARGO, will leave this Port for the  
above places.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for  
London as well as for Marseilles, and re-  
ceived in transit through Marseilles for the  
principal places of Europe.

Shipping Orders will be granted until  
Noon of 19th November.

Cargo will be received on board until 4  
p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the  
19th November. (Parcels are not to be  
sent on board, they must be left at the  
Agency's Office.)

Contents and value of Packages are re-  
quired.

For further particulars, apply at the  
Company's Office.  
G. DE CHAMPEAUX,  
Agent.

Hongkong, November 9, 1883. no20

## NEWS FOR HOME.

**The Overland China Mail.**  
(The oldest Overland Paper in China.)  
PUBLISHED AT THE "CHINA MAIL" OFFICE  
IN TIME FOR THE ENGLISH MAIL.

Containing from 72 to 84 columns of closely  
printed matter.

THIS Mail Summary is compiled from  
the Daily China Mail, it is published  
twice a month, on the morning of the  
English Mail's departure, and is a re-  
cord of each fortnight's current history  
of events in China and Japan, con-  
tributed in original reports and collated  
from the journals published at the various  
ports in those Countries.

It contains shipping news from Shanghai,  
Hongkong, Canton, &c., and a complete  
Commercial Summary.

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paid 52 cents.) \$12 per annum (postage  
paid \$12.50.)

Orders should be sent to GEO. MURRAY  
BAIRN, China Mail Office, 2, Wyndham  
Street, and later than noon of the day the  
English Mail Steamers leave.

Terms of Advertising, same as in Daily  
China Mail.

## SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS.

Stocks.	No. of Shares.	Value.	Paid- up.	Receiv.	Working Account.	Last Dividend.	Closing Quota- tions.
HK and S'hai Bank.....	50,000	120	125	125	3,198,338	52,509.02	£2 100% = \$5621
INSURANCE							
Mik. China Ins.	1,030,711	2,000	TL 600	TL 400	TL 230,444.77	TL 75	TL 14,000 p. sh.
Guangdong Ins.	1,200,711	350	TL 350	TL 538,235	TL 9,659.79	18%	TL 1,015 "
Union Ins. Soc.	2,000	1,250	125	500,000	576,391.00	18.20%	\$820 "
China Traders							
Insurance.....	34,000	83.33	25	600,000	107,411.65	22%	\$970 "
Union Ins. Office	10,000	250	50	500,000	506,127.77	10%	\$117 "
Debit							
Chinese Ins. Co.	1,500	1,000	200	100,378	83,907.18	3%	\$215 "
HK Fire Ins.	8,000	250	50	801,000	250,732.60	8%	\$355 "
China Fire Ins.	20,000	100	20	600,000	106,348.49	83.60 and 74	bonus proportionate
STEAM C'PANTER							
HK C. and M.	8,000	100	75	200,000	41,320.95	6%	\$125 "
Steamboat.....							
Indo-China S.	120,000	10	10				20% dis.
Nav. Co. China	3,500	\$100	all				15% prem.
S.S. Coy., Ltd.							
MISCELLANEOUS							
HK & W'pos	10,000	125	125	\$16,000	2,083.04	4%	68 2/3 prem. = \$197 1/2
Doek.....							\$80 p. share
Gen. Co. China	5,000	102	102	10,627,768.14	8.8		\$3150 "
H'kong Hotel.....	2,000	100	100	30,000			\$3150 "
China Sugar Co.	9,000	100	100		5,885.56	83	\$143 "
H'kong Ice Co.	1,250	100	100	15,250	687.09	81 1/2	\$165 "
Loans							
H'kong Bakery	600	50	50	4,000	253.45	8%	\$89 "
Luzon Sugar Co.	7,000	100	100		4,490.65		\$89 "
Payable							
Chi. Imp. 1874	6,270	100	all	8%	Jun 30 Dec 31		
" " 1877	16,042	100	all	8%	Feb 28 Ag 31		
" " 1878	3,889	100	all	8%	Apr 1 Oct 31		
" " 1881	8,563	100	all	8%	Jan 1 Dec 31		
Sugar Debit							
tura, 1880.....	600	50	all	8%	June & Dec.		2% p. ann.

\* For share to 30th June.—4 Dividend for 1882 and Bonus of 25 per cent.—to 30th April 1883.—5 For year 1881.—4 For half year ended 30th June 1883.  
EDWARD GEORGE, Share Broker.

## Insurances.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE  
INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned, Agents of the above  
Company, are authorized to insure  
against FIRE at Current Rates.  
GILMAN & Co.  
Hongkong, January 1, 1882.

## THE LONDON ASSURANCE.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER OF  
His Majesty King George The First,  
A.D. 1720.

THE Undersigned have been appointed  
Agents for the above Corporation are  
prepared to grant Insurances as follows:—  
Marine Department.

Policies at current rates, payable either  
here in London, or at the principal Ports  
of India, China and Australia.

Fire Department.  
Policies issued for long or short periods at  
current rates.

Life Department.  
Policies issued for sums not exceeding  
£5,000 at reduced rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.  
Hongkong, July 25, 1872.

## NOTICE.

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COM-  
PANY.

THE Undersigned are prepared to accept  
Risks on First Class Godowns at 1/2  
per cent. net premium per annum.

NORTON & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, May 19, 1881.

THE STRAITS INSURANCE COM-  
PANY, LIMITED.

THE Undersigned have been appointed  
AGENTS for the above Company are  
prepared to GRANT POLICIES on MARINE  
RISKS to all parts of the World, at current  
rates.

ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co.  
Hongkong, November 5, 1883. may 84

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE  
COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE.)  
CAPITAL.—TWO MILLIONS STERLING.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant  
Policies against the Risk of FIRE on  
Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on  
Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of  
Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms  
and Conditions.

Proposals for Life Assurances will be re-  
ceived, and transmitted to the Directors  
for their decision.

If required, protection will be granted on  
first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single  
Life.

For Rates of Premiums, forms of pro-  
posals or any other information, apply to  
ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co.,  
Agents, Hongkong & Canton.

Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

## THE CHINESE MAIL.

THIS paper is now issued every day.  
The subscription is fixed at Four  
Dollars per annum delivered in Hong-  
kong, or Seven Dollars Fifty Cents in-  
cluding postage to Coast ports.

It is the first Chinese Newspaper ever  
issued under purely native direction.  
The chief support of the paper is of course  
derived from the native community,  
amongst whom also are to be found the  
guarantors and securities necessary to  
place it on a business and legal footing.

The projectors, basing their estimates  
upon the most reliable information from  
the various Ports in China and Japan, and  
from Australia, California, Singapore, Pe-  
nang, Saigon, and other places frequented  
by the Chinese, consider themselves justified  
in guaranteeing a large and over-increasing  
circulation. The advantages offered to ad-  
vertisers are therefore unusually great, and  
the foreign community generally will find  
it to their interest to avail themselves of  
them.

The field open to a paper of this descrip-  
tion—conducted by native efforts, but  
progressive and anti-obstructive in tone—  
is almost limitless. It on the one hand  
commands Chinese belief and interest,  
while on the other it deserves every aid  
that can be given to it by foreigners.  
Like English journals it contains Editorials,  
with Local, Shipping, and Commercial  
News and Advertisements.

Subscription orders for the above may be  
sent to  
GEO. MURRAY BAIRN,  
China Mail Office.

## Entertainment.

THEATRE ROYAL,  
CITY HALL, HONGKONG.

THE LOFTS TROUPE!  
THE LOFTS TROUPE!!  
THE LOFTS TROUPE!!!  
NOTICE.

THE Repertoire of the above Company  
is now on view at Messrs KELLY &  
WALSH, Mountain Bazaar, from  
which intending Subscribers are respectfully  
requested to select the Twelve they wish  
to see performed, the Management to be  
guided by the majority, in order to give  
satisfaction.

THE PERFORMANCES  
will commence about  
the 22nd of this month, November,  
with  
GILBERT and SULLIVAN'S WORLD-FAMED  
PIRATES OF PENZANCE!  
PIRATES OF PENZANCE!!  
PIRATES OF PENZANCE!!!  
BARTLEY O'BRIEN,  
Agent.

Hongkong, November 6, 1883.

## To-day's Advertisements.

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR  
CARDS.  
A Variety of the Newest Designs  
now on view.

HONGKONG DISPENSARY.  
Hongkong, November 15, 1883. 8c64

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.  
FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY.  
(Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates  
for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-  
CHANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW  
and Ports on the YANGTSE.)

The Co.'s Steamship  
"Compta,"  
will be despatched on or  
about the 23rd Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, November 15, 1883.

NETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM  
NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.  
FOR BATAVIA, SAMARANG AND  
SOERABAYA, VIA SAIGON  
AND PONTIANAK.

The Steamship  
"Compta,"  
Capt. REUBEN, will be  
despatched on or about the 24th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, November 15, 1883.

STEAM FOR  
SINGAPORE, PENANG,  
COLOMBO, ADEN, MARSEILLES,  
MALTA, GIBRALTAR,  
BRINDISI, TRIESTE, VENICE,  
PLYMOUTH AND LONDON;  
ALSO,  
BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND  
AUSTRALIA.

N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills  
of Lading for BATAVIA, PENANG,  
GUTHRIE, HAMBURG, NEW YORK  
AND BOSTON.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM  
NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship  
VERONA, Captain G. W. ATKINSON, with  
Her Majesty's Mail, will be despatched  
from this Port for LONDON, via BOMBAY  
and SUEZ CANAL, on TUESDAY, the  
27th November, at 4 p.m.

Cargo will be received on board until  
10 a.m. on the day of sailing.

Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office  
until 10 a.m. on the day of sailing.

Silk and Valeris for Europe will be  
transhipped at Colombo; Tea and Gen-  
eral Cargo for London will be conveyed  
via Bombay without transshipment, arriving  
one week later than by the ordinary direct  
route via Colombo.

For further Particulars, regarding  
FREIGHT and PASSAGE, apply to the  
PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGA-  
TION COMPANY'S Office, Hongkong.

The Contents and Value of Packages are  
required to be declared prior to shipment.  
Shippers are particularly requested to  
note the terms and conditions of the Com-  
pany's Black Bills of Lading.

N.B.—This Steamer takes Cargo and Pas-  
sengers for MARSEILLES.

E. L. WOODIN,  
Acting Superintendent.  
Hongkong, November 15, 1883. no27

Not Responsible for Debts.  
Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor  
Owners will be Responsible for any  
Debt contracted by the Officers or  
Crew of the following Vessels, during  
their stay in Hongkong Harbour:—  
COMET, German ship, Capt. D. Siegenhorst.  
—Captain.

ELISE, German brig, Captain R. Brinck-  
meier.—Captain.

HAVON, Brouy, Amer. barque, Capt. C.  
Havon.—Russell & Co.

LUTY GRACE, Hawaian barque, Captain  
Samuel R. Hughes.—Russell & Co.

MOUNT LEBANON, Brit. barquette, Capt.  
Nelson.—Bozard & Co.

ONEDA, American ship, Capt. Benjamin  
Carver.—Russell & Co.

SACHEN, American ship, Captain J. W.  
Small.—P. & O. S. N. Co.

THEOBOR RIGER, German ship, Capt. T.  
C. Meyer.—Thomas Rowe & Smith.

## SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.  
Nov. 15, Francis, German barque, 480.  
James Morrison, Newchwang Nov. 1.  
Beane.—CAPTAIN.

Nov. 15, Theodor Riger, German ship,  
1930 T. C. Meyer, New York June 21.  
Refined Petroleum.—Thomas Rowe &  
Smith.

Nov. 15, Cheong Hock Kian, British str.,  
966 Tons, Newchwang Nov. 13, General.  
—BUH HIN CHAN.

Nov. 15, Nem-zan, French steamer, 435.  
A. Garesau, Haiphong Nov. 12, and Hol-  
low 14, General.—A. R. MARY.

## ARRIVALS.

Nov. 15, Francis, German barque, 338,  
H. R. Gonsard, Newchwang and Amoy  
Nov. 13, Beane.—WELLS & Co.

Nov. 15, Ramier, French brig, 280, P.  
Savary, Newchwang Nov. 2, Beane.—  
CARLWITZ & Co.

## DEPARTURES.

Nov. 15, Ping-on, for Hoihow, &c.  
15, Taichien, for Swatow, &c.  
15, Kienyang, for Coast Ports.  
15, Acta, for Hoihow, &c.  
15, Fu-po, Chinese gunboat, for Can-  
ton.

15, Hainan, for Hoihow.  
15, Miramar, for Singapore, &c.  
16, German, for London.  
15, Cheung, for Shanghai.  
15, Peking, for Shanghai.

## CLEARED.

Alvora, for Quinhon.  
Electra, for Saigon.

## PASSENGERS.

Per Theodor Riger, from New York, Mr.  
E. Sawyer.  
Per Cheong Hock Kian, from Amoy, 409  
Chinese.

DEPARTED.  
Per Kienyang, for Amoy, Messrs Jen-<



At London,



